GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1569
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RAINWATER FOR DRIP FARMING .
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) Whether the Government proposes to conserve rainwater by constructing artificial dams using water inflated rubber walls for drip farming on the pattern of China;

(b) If so, the details thereof;

(c) The funds estimated/allocated therefor;

(d) Whether any subsidy to farmers is proposed therefor;

(e) If so, the details thereof; and

(f) If not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI KANTI LAL BHURIA)

(a) & (b): No, Sir. The Government has no proposal to conserve rainwater by constructing artificial dams using water inflated rubber walls for drip farming on the pattern of China.

(c) to (f): Does not arise.